# GEORGIA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY MINUTES OF CONFERENCE CALL BOARD MEETING April 26, 2012

The Georgia Board of Massage Therapy Conference Call board meeting was held Thursday, April 26, 2012, at The Professional Licensing Boards Division offices located at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia.

## The following members were present:

**Board Members Absent:** 

Denise Taylor

Jane H. Johnson, Chair Kathy Lescak, Vice-Chair Jennifer C. Clay Freddy Seagraves, Consumer Member

C. Clay

## **Administrative Staff Present:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director Graham Barron, Assistant Attorney General Reagan Dean, Assistant Attorney General Amanda Allen, Board Support Specialist Serena Gadson, Licensure Supervisor

Ms. Johnson established that a quorum of the Board was present and called the Board meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

## Agenda:

Ms. Lescak motioned, Ms. Clay seconded, and the Board voted to approve the agenda as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

#### **Board Meeting Minutes:**

Ms. Lescak motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to approve the following Board meeting minutes as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

o February 16, 2012

## **Board Chair Report:**

No report presented

#### **Correspondences:**

William Lane

Ms. Lescak motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to allow the administrative staff to respond to all correspondences presented to the Board as directed. None opposed, motion carried.

#### **Executive Director's Report:**

- 1. Mr. Zimmerman reminded the Board that the General Assembly passed House Bill 87, which revised O.C.G.A. §50-36-1. Effective January 01, 2012, all applicants submitting initial applications and all individuals/entities (principal individual') renewing licenses will be required to submit secure and verifiable documentation to lawful presence in the US of any applicant for public benefits (i.e. licensure). Licenses will not be renewed until documentation has been received. The renewal window for MT's is open and all licensees' can begin renewing his/her license.
- 2. Mr. Zimmerman reviewed the memo provided by Attorney general Sam Olens regarding amendments to the Open Records and Open Meetings Act with the Board.
- 3. Mr. Zimmerman reviewed the amendments to SB143 (Massage Therapy Practice Act). Should the amendments be signed into law, the Board will need to begin drafting rules as soon as the amendments become effective.
- 4. Mr. Zimmerman notified the Board that the public disciplinary hearings will be conducted on June 14<sup>th</sup> and the standard Board meeting will be conducted on June 15<sup>th</sup>.

Ms. Lescak motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Executive Director's report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

#### **Petition for variance/waiver requests:**

• Ball, Virginia-Rule 345-4-.05 Reinstatement of a License

Ms. Lescak motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded and the Board voted to deny the petition for variance/waiver request; insufficient evidence provided to prove hardship. None opposed, motion carried.

• Melissa Burdette- Rule 345-4-.02- Continuing Education Hours

Ms. Lescak motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded and the Board voted to deny the petition for variance/waiver request; insufficient evidence provided to prove hardship. None opposed, motion carried.

Ms. Lescak motioned, and Ms. Clay seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2(k) (1) (2), O.C.G.A. § 50-14-2(1), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-2-(k) (4), O.C.G.A. § 43-1-19 (h) (2) & (4) to receive and review information pertaining to Applications, receive the Attorney General's, Cognizant, and Enforcement Reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board members Johnson, Lescak, Seagraves and Clay.

At the conclusion of Executive Session on Thursday, April 26, 2012, Ms. Lescak declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq.

#### **APPLICATIONS:**

Ms. Clay motioned, and Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by Application: None opposed, motion carried.

1. Barajas, Daniel

Approved for licensure

2. S.B.

Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with fine

3. M.C. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

Chai, Peter
 Clea, Adrienne
 Cobb, Tia
 Cone, Kayla
 Greathouse, Tene
 Approved for licensure Approved for licensure Approved for licensure Approved for licensure

9. J.H. Pending the receipt of additional information

10. Hughley, Edwanna Approved for licensure

11. L.H. Pending the receipt of additional information

12. Jin, Yushun Approved for licensure 13. Kelly, Halie Approved for licensure

14. C.K. Pending the receipt of additional information

15. D.L.
Pending applicant interview
16. Martin, Kayla
Approved for licensure
17. Martinez, Wanda
Approved for licensure
18. McKinney, Tammy
Approved for licensure
19. Muse, Dawn
Approved for licensure

20. J.N. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

21. Scott, Valerie Approved for licensure

22. H.S. Pending the receipt of additional information

23. Shields, Allen24. Spradley, TiffanyApproved for licensure

25. T.S. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

26. M.S. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

27. Swan, Ian
 28. Tucker, Shakira
 29. Turner, Buffie
 Approved for licensure
 Approved for licensure

# Ms. Clay motioned, and Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by Reinstatement. None opposed, motion carried.

1. Allen, Tamisha Approved for licensure

2. E.B. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

Couch, Mandy
 Flansburg, Holly
 Hickman, Kimberly
 Howlett, Erin
 Orr, Alejandria
 Paul, Donna
 Approved for licensure Approved for licensure

9. L.P. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

10. B.P. Issue upon the receipt of a signed public reprimand with

fine

11. Raynor, Angela12. Scott, ValerieApproved for licensureApproved for licensure

13. A.T. Pending the receipt of additional information

Ms. Clay motioned, and Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to take the following action on applicants applying for licensure by Endorsement. None opposed, motion carried.

1. Hinze, Jason

Approved for licensure

## **Approved Licensees:**

Ms. Lescak motioned, and Ms. Clay seconded, and the Board voted to ratify the following applications approved between Board meetings determined to have met licensure requirements as follows:

License No.	<u>Name</u>	Issue Date
MT008179	Ponder, Chasity S	2/13/2012
MT008180	Lacina, April Lynn	2/15/2012
MT008181	Adkins, Rebecca Anne Marie	2/15/2012
MT008182	Smith, Guirong Zhao	2/17/2012
MT008183	Hite, Stephen James	2/17/2012
MT008184	Moyer, Brian James	2/17/2012
MT008185	Bentley, Allison Rose	2/17/2012
MT008186	Godowns, Lee William	2/17/2012
MT008187	Jones, Jesse Lloyd	2/17/2012
MT008188	Lynch, Zaneishia Lynette	2/17/2012
MT008189	Sutton, Dawn M	2/17/2012
MT008190	Wicker, Jwi-Yonka	2/17/2012
MT008191	Cummings, Lainey Nicole	2/17/2012
MT008192	Davis, Carlanda Gale	2/17/2012
MT008193	Dukes, Meiko Kenyatta	2/17/2012
MT008194	Mapp, Devous LaMark	2/17/2012
MT008195	Carlan, James Thomas	2/17/2012
MT008196	Jefferson, Amber J	2/17/2012
MT008197	Pearson, Renee Louise	2/17/2012
MT008198	Pena, Carlos Antonio	2/17/2012
MT008199	Selman, Loree Jane	2/17/2012
MT008200	Wettlaufer, Donald Edward, Jr	2/17/2012
MT008201	Alayon, Pamela	2/17/2012
MT008202	Buckner, Nicholle L	2/17/2012
MT008203	Crawford, Lakisha Lee	2/17/2012
MT008204	Jackson, Joy Shantrice	2/17/2012
MT008205	Waters, Daniel Branden	2/17/2012
MT008206	Hernandez, Denise	2/17/2012
MT008207	Volmar, Samantha	2/17/2012
MT008208	Collins, Tonya Dawn	2/20/2012

MT008209	Raphoto, Neo	2/20/2012
MT008210	Heller, Janice Carson	2/20/2012
MT008211	Bailey, Lydia Marie	2/20/2012
MT008211	Rousu, Aliina Victoria	2/20/2012
MT008212	Tucker, Brandy Lee	2/20/2012
MT008213	Cochran, Cynthia Ann	2/21/2012
MT008214	Ramsey, Vincent Kenneth	2/22/2012
MT008216	Brewington, Lakita Shenethia	2/22/2012
MT008217	Liao, Lifen	2/22/2012
MT008217	Liu, Ying Jiu	2/23/2012
MT008219	Hou, Cuiying	2/23/2012
MT008219	Wu, Yuanying	2/23/2012
MT008220	Jones, Marquita Toinette	2/24/2012
MT008221	Versyn, Kathrine Jane	2/24/2012
MT008222 MT008223	Dong, Hong	2/24/2012
MT008223	Castillo, Jill Dana	2/27/2012
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	Brown, Denise Karen	2/29/2012
MT008227	Edmundson, James Paul	
MT008228	McFarland, Kathryn Denise	2/29/2012
MT008229	Wootton, Shannon Leigh	2/29/2012
MT008230	McCurty, Patricia Wren	2/29/2012
MT008231	Glescic, Cortney Lynn Solomon, Meera Michelle	3/1/2012
MT008232	Alexandria	3/1/2012
MT008233	Wang, Feng	3/1/2012
MT008234	Harvey, Irene C	3/2/2012
MT008235	Warren, Bethany Lynn	3/2/2012
MT008236	Xu, Jinshan	3/6/2012
MT008237	Hodge, Kandace Estee	3/7/2012
MT008238	Morgan, Aimee Louise	3/7/2012
MT008239	Tai, Huazi	3/7/2012
MT008240	Burke, Octavia Lee	3/7/2012
MT008241	White, Pennie Renee	3/7/2012
MT008242	Rea, Ashley Nichole	3/7/2012
MT008243	Acosta, Katrina Michelle	3/7/2012
MT008244	Phillips, Guy F, Jr	3/8/2012
MT008245	Vaughan, Bethann Nicole	3/8/2012
MT008246	Baker, Stacey Renea	3/9/2012
MT008247	Hardwick, Katrina Renee	3/9/2012
MT008248	Crawley, Victoria Marie	3/12/2012
MT008249	Horner, Sabrina	3/12/2012
MT008250	Yates, Khadijah Shabri	3/14/2012
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MT008251	Shelton, Christopher Curtis	3/15/2012
MT008252	Tobin, In Hwan	3/15/2012
MT008253	Hodges, Michelle J	3/15/2012
MT008254	Kelley, Dawn Marie	3/15/2012
MT008255	White, Sok Donny	3/15/2012
MT008256	Merrick, Jamie Denise	3/15/2012
MT008257	Scott, Kami M	3/15/2012
MT008258	Skorupski, Amanda Marya	3/16/2012
MT008259	Xayaseng, Sheena Marie	3/20/2012
MT008260	Touchstone, Lauren Kelli	3/20/2012
MT008261	Smith, Jessica Mae	3/20/2012
MT008262	Johnson, Vandell K	3/22/2012
MT008263	Smith, Kim Alycia	3/22/2012
MT008264	Abshire, Paul Joseph	3/23/2012
MT008265	Liu, Bin	3/23/2012
MT008266	Wei, Hong	3/23/2012
MT008267	Xiao, Ying	3/23/2012
MT008268	Rivera, Angel Josue	3/23/2012
MT008269	Toussaint, Patricia Vanessa	3/26/2012
MT008270	McCarthy, Kristin	3/27/2012
MT008271	Phouthavong, Alesa S	3/27/2012
MT008272	Harrell, Gilbert Maurice	3/27/2012
MT008273	Barkum, Michael Ray	3/27/2012
MT008274	Johnson, Shana Diane	3/28/2012
MT008275	Yu, Dan	3/28/2012
MT008276	Njoki, Carol Lillian	3/28/2012
MT008277	Nogueira, Mauricio	3/28/2012
MT008278	Jourdain, Kenny	3/29/2012
MT008279	Stanley, Susan Lynne	3/29/2012
MT008280	Whiteside, Sarah Marie	3/30/2012
MT008281	Coates, Shamara Nichole	3/30/2012
MT008282	Zhang, Ying Cai	4/2/2012
MT008283	Hammond, Julie Anne	4/4/2012
MT008284	Davidson, Mary Lou	4/4/2012
MT008285	Johnson, Gloria Lorraine	4/5/2012
MT008286	Hoffmann, Deanna Lynn	4/5/2012
MT008287	Falldine, Grace Anne	4/5/2012
MT008288	Briscoe, Gloria Akins	4/6/2012
MT008289	Howard, Sarah Gayle	4/6/2012
MT008290	Deyton, Michelle Ashby-Evonne	4/6/2012
MT008291	Rawls, Dameon Rashad	4/9/2012
MT008292	Damakowski, Christine M	4/10/2012
MT008292	Wight, Kalisa Jessilyn	4/10/2012
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MT008294	Parrish, Michelle	4/10/2012
MT008295	Szilagyi, Marley Grace	4/10/2012
MT008296	Graves, Sarah Tarpley	4/11/2012
MT008297	Cann, Chelsey Leigh	4/11/2012
MT008298	Reese, Katherine A	4/11/2012
MT008299	Yang, Chaochen	4/11/2012
MT008300	Gardner, Rhonda Elaine	4/12/2012
MT008301	Bae, Mi Suk	4/12/2012
MT008302	Lyons, Victoria Nicole	4/13/2012
MT008303	Gayle, Angela Elizabeth	4/13/2012
MT008304	Park, Chi Y	4/16/2012
MT008305	Banner, Jalisa Annie Shada	4/16/2012
MT008306	Chuai, Jing	4/16/2012
MT008307	Jung, Hye Sun	4/16/2012
MT008308	Thatcher, Terri Brock	4/16/2012
MT008309	Reese, Haley Noelle	4/17/2012
MT008310	Tong, Li	4/17/2012
MT008311	Heigter, Samantha Earlene	4/18/2012
MT008312	Tenn, Lacana	4/18/2012
MT008313	Adams, Tanisha Javae	4/18/2012
MT008314	Sahl, Michael Taylor	4/18/2012
MT008315	Wang, Cailing	4/18/2012
MT008316	Bozja, Jadranka Bera	4/18/2012
MT008317	Davidson, Samantha Victoria	4/19/2012
MT008318	Han, Ying	4/19/2012
MT008319	Padgett, Shakia Channel	4/19/2012
MT008320	Lamerique, Sara Ketsia	4/20/2012
MT008321	Moertle, Tajia Dawn	4/20/2012
MT008322	Murray, Jowanna Nichole	4/20/2012

# **Cognizant Report:**

No Report Presented

# **Attorney General's Report:**

Assistant Attorney General, Graham Barron and Reagan Dean provided the Board with a status report which included information on any cases referred for action.

Ms. Clay motioned, Mr. Seagraves seconded, and the Board voted to accept the Attorney General's Report as presented. None opposed, motion carried.

## **Additional Business:**

• Lee, Yun, MT002565

Mr. Seagraves motioned, Ms. Clay seconded, and the Board voted to accept the signed public reprimand with fine, in addition, the Board voted to allow Mr. Zimmerman, Executive Director, to sign the order in lieu of the chair. None opposed, motion carried.

There being no additional business to discuss, Mr. Seagraves motioned, Ms. Clay seconded, and the Board voted to adjourn the conference call meeting at 12:18 p.m.

Professional Licensing Boards Division

Minutes recorded by:

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Jane H. Johnson, Chair

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Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director

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These minutes were approved on: June 15, 2012

Georgia State Board of Massage Therapy